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Re: Genetic Engineering

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Mr. L. Robert Lake U.S. CODEX Office Rm 4861, South Building Washington, DC 202500-3700

Dear Mr. Lake:

I cannot say strongly enough that all food must be labeled with what is in it. If a food is genetically engineered, please include that information on the label. What possible reason could there be to keep such information secret if it is believed to be safe? People need to be able to make informed choices about the content of the foods they chose. The right to choose is fundamental.

Sincerely, Virginia K. Adams 6 Whispering Hills Drive Clifton Park, NY 12065 virginia@nycap.rr.com

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